

FACTS ABOUT RECYCLING

RECYCLED PLASTIC CAN BE MADE INTO...



clothing



furniture



shoes



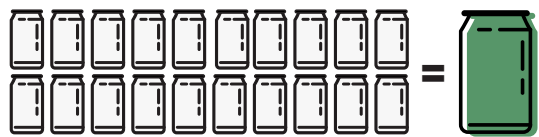
and more



The numbers inside the recycling logo represent what **plastic resin** a product is



Plastic bags are **not** accepted in curbside recycling programs



It takes the same amount of energy to make **20 cans with recycled aluminum** as it does to make just one new can with virgin aluminum

An aluminum can can be recycled back into a new can

and be on the shelf in a grocery store in **as fast as 60 days**



Five plastic bottles make one T-shirt

Recycling **one ton** of plastic can save **685 GALLONS OF GAS**



RECYCLED PAPER PRODUCES

74%

less air pollution during production than virgin paper



EVERY MINUTE

about 105,800 aluminum cans are recycled in the U.S.

Recycling **one glass bottle** can save enough energy to power a light bulb for **four hours**



75%

of all trash is recyclable, yet the recycling rate in the U.S. is just **32.1 percent**

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